"WOODSY OWL" VISITS ROBERT E. LEE ACADEMY

On Thursday, September 23, "Woodsy Owl" visited Robert E. Lee Academy. With the assistance of Karen Knapp of Westvaco and Cindy Drezzer, Woodsy talked about promoting anti-pollution measures.

The program ended with the children singing "The Ballard of Woodsy Owl."

Shown in the photo above are, left to right, Tonya Moore, Belinda Franklin, Laura Doss, Bryan Wallace, Woodsy Owl, Karen Knapp, Miss Johnson (teacher), Bobo Mayes, Jason Ford, Bryan Elder and Clyde Mayberry.

MIGHTY FOUR 4-H CLUB

The Appomattox Mighty Four 4-H Club held their meeting Sept. 21 at the Appomattox County Extension Office. Meeting was called to order by President, Laurie McLean. The club was led in the pledges to the American and 4-H Flags. The secretary read the minutes and called the roll. The treasurer reported that we have $68.00 in our account. The meeting was then turned over to Mr. Sweet and Mrs. Thomas. First on the business agenda was old business. We discussed project books, which should be turned in by the end of October. The Five County Fair was discussed, Appomattox 4-H'ers won over $1,000 in prize money. We voted on the issue of inviting 7th grade students as new members. The majority ruled that 7th graders should be invited. Forms were givne out for the Chick-N-Que Contest to be held Saturday, Sept. 25 at Holiday Lake 4-H Camp. Float committee agreed to meet after the meeting to make plans for our Railroad Parade float. We then preceeded to discuss new business. Bike-A-Thon forms for Cancer were given out. Young 4-H officers will have officer training, Mr. Sweet said some of our members may be need to help. If enough persons are interested the 4-H Clubs would like to plan a trip on Nov. 6 to Virginia Tech - Tulsa Football Game. Senior members given the new Achievement Records. The 4-H Fishing Contest will continue until Oct. 15. Get a move on fishers!

We then elected new officers. Slate of officers for 1976-77 are as follows: President - Susan Parris, Vice President - David Caldwell, Secretary - Steve Mayberry, Treasurer - Laurie McLean, and Reporter - Rhonda Nash. The meeting was adjourned. Refreshments were served.

Rhonda Nash, Reporter

Large Crowd Attends Toga Horse Show

A crowd of more than 500 people attended the Horse Show at Toga Community Center Sunday in which more than 50 horses from Richmond, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Meherrin as well as surrounding areas participated. Winners in their respective classes were:

ENGLISH PLEASURE: 1) Beth Matthew, Concord, Va. 2) Carol Phillips, Meherrin, Va. 3) Carolyn Anderson, Keysville, Va. 4) Gail Lewis, Appomattox, Va, 5) Wendy MacIntosh, Spout Spring.

LADIES WESTERN PLEASURE: 1) Helen Bishop, Buckingham, Va. 2) Pat Barbour, Sandy Hook, 3) Sandra Barefoot, Gum Springs, 4) Diane Shafer, Appomattox, 5) Carol Phillips, Meherrin

PET PONY: 1) Vivian Seay, Appomattox

ENGLISH HALTER CLASS 1) Michelle Tuck, Gladys, 2) Beth Matthew, Concord, 3) Gail Lewis, Appomattox, 4) Klara Lukacs, Buckingham, 5) Chris Hardiman, Dillwyn

Western Halter Class; 1) Helen Bishop, Buckingham, 2) Billy Meadows, Meherrin, 3) Doug Branch, Gladstone, 4) Diane Shafer, Appomattox, 5) Ed Owen, Cartersville

MEN'S WESTERN PLEASURE: 1) LaMarr Bishop, Buckingham, 2) H. L. Ranson, Goochland, 3) Tubber Ferguson, Meherrin, 4) Richard Seay, Appomattox, 5) Larry LeSueur, Dillwyn

ENGLISH EQUITATION: 1) Carol Phillips, Meherrin, 2) Beth Matthew, Concord, 3) Michelle Tuck, Gladys, 4) Angelique Lukacs, Buckingham 5) Gail Lewis, Appomattox

WESTERN PLEASURE - YOUTH: 1) Sheri Hardiman, Dillwyn, 2) Anthony Volturo, Appomattox, 3) Vivian Seay, Appomattox, 4) Laura Shaffer, Buckingham, 5) Sandra Bishop, Palmyra

EGG RACE: 1)Bonnie Moon, Gladys, 2) Margie Paul, Trevillians, 3) Ronnie Wright, Amherst 4) Vicki Duff, Appomattox, 5) Jeanne Anderson, Appomattox

WESTERN PLEASURE: 1) Helen Bishop, Buckingham, 2) Pat Barbour, Sandy Hook, 3) Margie Paul, Trevillians, 4) Sandra Barefoot, Gum Springs, 5) Sheri Hardiman, Dillwyn

KEY HOLE 1) Lemmy Tate, Gladstone, 2) Ronnie Wright, Amherst, 3) Sharon Bryant, Appomattox 4) Robin Branch, Gladstone, 5) Danny Cash, Amherst

ENGLISH GO AS YOU PLEASE 1) Carolyn Anderson, Keysville, 2) Tubby Ferguson, Meherrin, 3) Gail Lewis, Appomattox, 4) Beth Matthew, Concord, 5) Michelle Tuck, Gladys

WESTERN GO AS YOU PLEASE: 1) Helen Bishop, Buckingham, 2) Margie Paul, Trevillians, 3) Pat Barbour, Sandy Hook, 4) Sandra Barefoot, Gum Springs, 5) Carol Phillips, Meherrin

COUNTRY PLEASURE: 1) Margie Paul, Trevillians, 2) Pat Barbour, Sandy Hook, 3) Sandra Barefoot, Gum Springs, 4) Carolyn Anderson, Keysville 5) Sheri Hardiman, Dillwyn

PLEASURE PONY: 1) Michelle Tuck, Gladys, 2) Angelique Lukacs, Buckingham, 3) Vivian Seay, Appomattox, 4) Joyce Weekley, Buckingham, 5) Laura Shaffer, Buckingham

WESTERN REINING: 1) LaMarr Bishop, Buckingham, 2) Margie Paul, Trevillians, 3) Bonnie Moon, Gladys

POLE BENDING: 1) Ronnie Wright, Amherst 2) Lemmy Tate, Gladstone, 3) Ricky Maddox, Madison Hgts., 4) Ed Owen, Cartersville, 5) Malcolm Vannoy, Farmville

POLE BENDING-YOUTH 1) Robin Branch, Gladstone 2) Bonnie Moon, Gladys, 3) Tom Hardiman, Dillwyn, 4) Betty Ayers, Gladys, 5) Vivian Seay, Appomattox

LADIES BARRELL RACING 1) Robin Branch, Gladstone, 2) Bonnie Moon, Gladys, 3) Sharon Bryant, Appomattox, 4) Margie Paul, Trevillians, 5) Vicki Duff, Appomattox

MEN'S BARRELL RACING 1) Lenny Link, Glasgow, 2) Wesley Humphries, Gladstone, 3) Ronnie Wright, Amherst 4) Ed Owen, Cartersville, 5) Lenny Link, Glasgow

BARRELL RACING - YOUTH 1)Robin Branch, Gladstone, 2) Sharon Bryant, Appomattox, 3) Bonnie Moon, Gladys 4) Len Tate, Gladstone, 5) Betty Ayers, Gladys

FLAG RACE: 1) Lenny Link, Glasgow, 2) Wesley Humphries, Gladstone 3) Ronnie Wright, Amherst 4) Janet Young, Farmville, 5) Ed Owen, Cartersville

FLAG RACE - YOUTH 1) Len Tate, Gladstone, 3) Lori Mitchell, Appomattox, 3) Betty Ayers, Gladys, 4) Sheri Hardiman, Dillwyn, 5) Vivian Seay, Appomattox

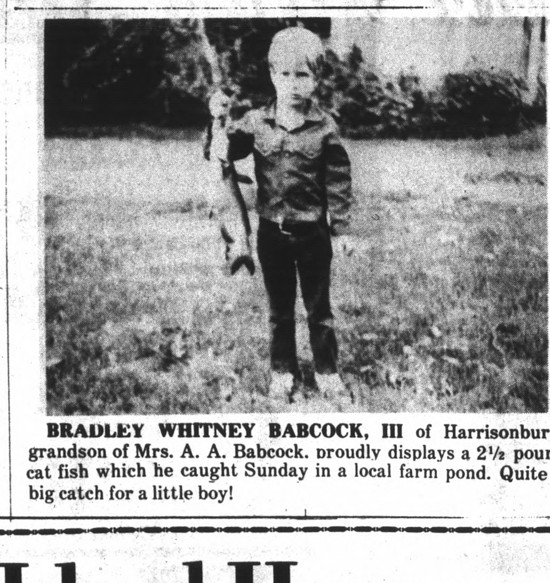
DRINK RACE: 1) Wesley Humphries, Gladstone, 2) Wesely Wright, Amherst, 3) Lenny Link, Glasgow, 4) Ed Owen Cartersville, 5) Ricky Maddox, Madison Heights.

RIDER PICK UP 1) Wesley Humphries, Gladstone, 2) Ronnie Wright, Amherst, 3) Lenny Link, Glasgow, 4) Sharon Bryant, Appomattox, 5) Lenny Link, Glasgow,

FASTEST HORSE AROUND RING 1) Wesely Humphries, riding Doc's Dream Boy (owned by Doug Branch), 2) Lenny Link, riding Stuart Bars (owned by Ronnie Wright), 3) Lenny Link riding dynamite (owned by Sharon Bryant) 4) Lenny Link riding Bayou Bar Cat (owned by Sharon Bryant) , 5) Mac Bishop, riding Tonka (owned by Mac Bishop).

Winner of the High Point Trophy for Senior Classes (open) was Ronnie Wright of Amherst.

High Point Trophy winner for Youth Classes was Vivian Seay of Appomattox.



BRADLEY WHITNEY BABCOCK, III of Harrisonburg, grandson of Mrs. A. A. Babcock, proudly displays a 2½ pound cat fish which he caught Sunday in a local farm pond. Quite a big catch for a little boy!

Teachers, Counsellors To Meet

Lloyd M. Jewell, Coordinator of Vocational Education Research, and George S. Orr, State Advisory Council on Vocational Education, will appear on the program of the fall conference of agriculture teachers at Appomattox, September 30.

Afternoon and evening sessions will be held in the Appomattox County High School, Thursday, beginning at 4:30 p.m. Special guests of the teachers will be the guidance counsellors in the 32 high schools comprising the Southside Area.

The theme of the conference is "Working Together To Improve Placement of Students Completing Programs of Vocational Education." A. H. Carter, Appomattox, Area President, will preside.

Others scheduled for presentations are Roger S. Redmond, Transmark Operations; Mrs. Bolly C. Carter, Appomattox Middle School; D. S. Grant, Bedford; and Donald L. Armentrout, Appomattox County High School.

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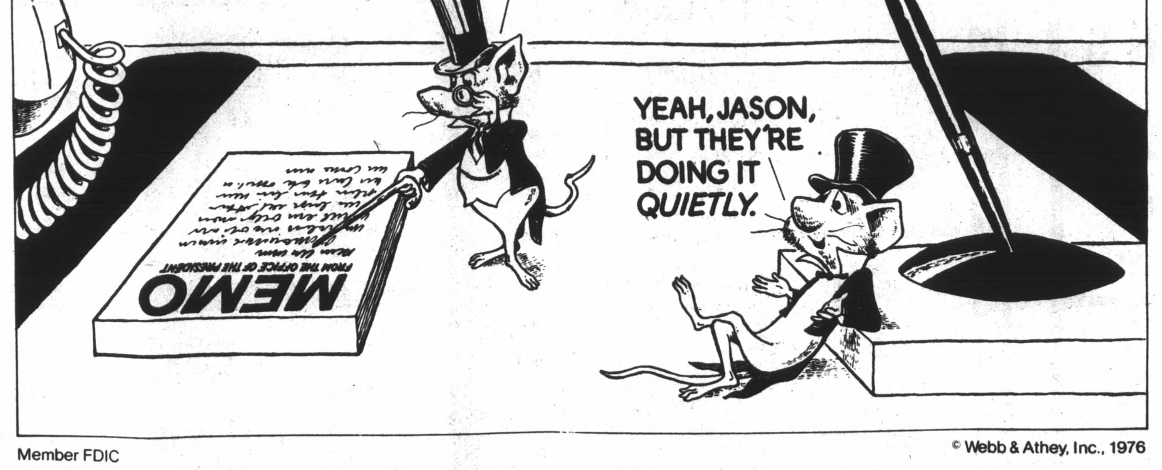

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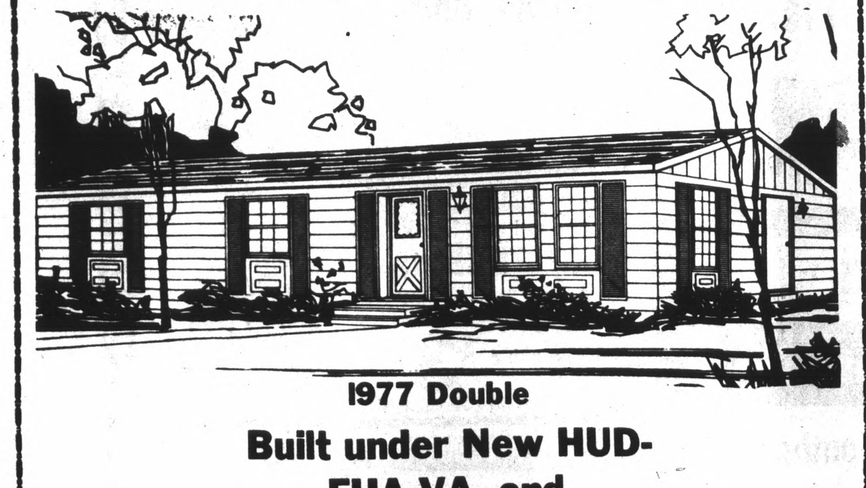

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The Class of 1932, Appomattox High School held its reunion on Saturday night. Attending were, front row, left to right, Vera Kern Moore, Ruth Morris Jennings, Lula Drinkard Gibson, Catherine Lucado Perdue, Claudine O'Brien', Hilda Moore; second row, left to right, Ruby Wooldridge Rachel Morris Day, Weselen Young Wooldridge (extreme right); and on back row, left to right, starting fourth from right, Blass Ranson, Malcolm Booker and Garland Plunkett.

Appomattox High School, Class of 1932 Reunion, 1976

It was "school days, school days" once again for the Class of 1932 of Appomattox High School. Observing their forty-fourth reunion, twelve members of this class, with husbands and wives, met on Saturday, Sept. 25, at 6:30 p.m. at the old Evergreen School for a covered dish supper and session fo reminiscing.

For this occasion, the school originally a one room strucure, later expanded to two rooms) took on the atmospehre of a classroom once again. Using a Bicentennial theme with the colors red, white, and blue predominating, the local committee attractively decorated the hall with bulletin boards featuring important events in the history of the class, a bell, a cake with an apple for the teacher, and even a slate with the words: I love you, Jo. Table decorations further carried the color scheme, even to lower arrangements.

Summoned to dinner by ringing the hand bell, members of the class and their guests served themselves from a great variety of delicious and tempting dishes. One lady was overheard saying sadly: "My plate is filled and I am only halfway down the line." All agreed that a covered dish meal prepared by classmates provided a very special atmospehre for enjoyment. Much reminiscing was interspersed with the meal and "it just so happened" that many had snapshots of children and grandchildren to pass around proudly.

Following dinner, Garland Plunkett, class president, using the hand bell once again, called a business meeting to order. Among items discussed were plans for the next reunion and messages from absent members. The group accepted the invitation of a classmate Malcolm Booker to hold the next reunion at his home, Beverly Plantation, on Friday, June 24, 1977.

Of the 29 surviving members of the Class of 1932, 12 (all from Virginia) attended the 1976 reunion. Those present were: Malcolm Booker, Lula Drinkard Gibson, Vera Kern Moore, Catherine Lucado Perdue, Hilda Moore, Rachel Morris Day, Ruth Morris Jennings, Claudine O'Brien, Garland Plunkett, Blass Ranson, Ruby Wooldridge Hamilton, and Weselene Young Wooldridge.

Mrs. Clarkie Evans Ranson, although unable to attend, sent a beautiful floral arrangement. Several others sent notes and pictures, or telephoned their regrets. The attendees sent messages to those unable to be present.

The Class of 1932 is very proud of its member, Miss Hazel Moon, who has served for many years as a missionary nurse in Nigeria. past reunions have been arranged to coincide with her furloughs, thus making it possible for her to attend all previous ones with one exception.

FOOD SHOPPER

by
Susan K. Simpson
Virginia Department of Agriculture and Commerce

"To market, to market to buy a fat pig---." No more! That ditty, chanted by children for years, is not nearly accurate these days. Today's "porker" is a little different breed than those of days gone by. "Leaner and trimmer" might be a better description. It is higher in protein and lower in fat, with more edible meat than twenty years ago. Actually, the average of all cuts shows pork to have fewer calories than other meats! The lean of pork has about 70 calories per cooked ounce.

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Hollywood

Rev. Paul Balthaser brought a good message to the people of Hollywood Sunday. Mrs. Balthaser brought a very inspiring message in song.

We were sorry to hear of the death Saturday of Mrs. Elizabeth McFadden. Our deepest sympathy is extended each of her loved ones.

Mrs. Ioan Mayberry has been visiting Mrs. Hugh Carwile, of Lynchburg, and other relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Emma Lemon spent Saturday with her aunt, Mrs. C. R. Banton, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Bryant visited Mrs. Banton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman spent Saturday night with their sister, Mrs. W. T. Covington. Rev. W. H. Elder recently visited Mrs. Covington and Mrs. Mary Bagby.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Webb, Miss Joyce Webb and Miss Odell Webb visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. Robert Morris and family, of Buckingham, Sunday afternoon. We are happy to hear Mrs. Morris is feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson, of Vernon Hill, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson Sunday night. Others visiting Mr. and Mrs. Watson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Webb, Joyce and Odell Webb, Mr. and Mrs. David Smith, Mr. Walter Wingfield, Mrs. Thomas Woodall and Lisa.

Mr. L. H. Watson was sick during the week end. We hope he may soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. David Repass and Sherri visited Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Webb and Mr. Walker Webb Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and Mrs. Mary Bagby visited Mr. and Mrs. Scott Sheets and Mr. and Mrs. Berkley Brown Saturday afternoon.

Wedding bells are ringing again in our Hollywood neighborhood. Congratulations.

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Academy Students Elect Officers

Mrs. Mryick's class at Robert E. Lee Academy elected officers last week. Officers elected, left to right, were Liz Pierce, Vice President; Stella Osborne, Reporter; Kim Johnson, Secretary; Robin Branch, Assistant Secretary; Sandy Kitchen, Class Representative; Bonnie Layne, Treasurer; P. W. Kitchen, President; and not shown in photo were Cheryl Bennett, Assistant Reporter; and Wayne King, Assistant Treasurer.

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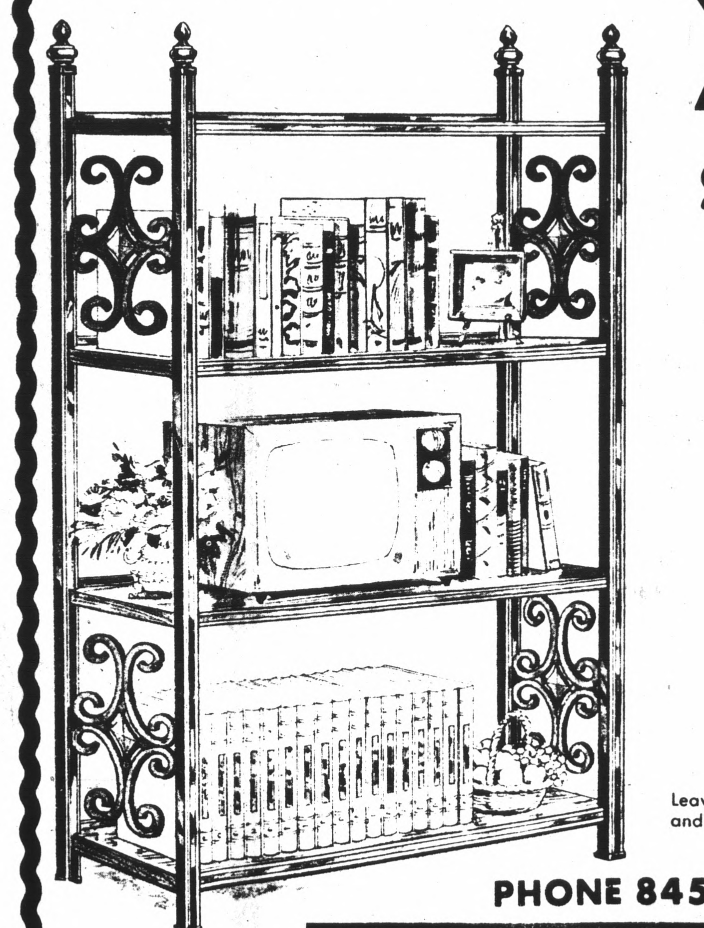

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